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## THE WAR IS OVER!

### GERMANY SIGNED TERMS OF ARMISTICE AT 11 O'CLOCK AND HOSTILITIES CEASED AT 2 TODAY

Dispatches dated Paris, state that armistice terms were signed there at 11 o'clock today and that all hostilities ceased at 2 o'clock.

The news is not unexpected as it was known that some German influences were in accord with the allies' terms.

A delegation left Berlin yesterday for the western front where the surrender was made.



JAMES WITHYCOMBE  
Governor of Oregon

#### WITHYCOMBE IS RE-ELECTED GOV.

McNARY PERHAPS CHOSEN TO SUCCEED HIMSELF IN SENATE

#### NEXT HOUSE IS REPUBLICAN

Senate Will Perhaps Be G. O. P. Also Champ Clark Is Said To Have Lost Out

Governor James Withycombe was re-elected at the polls in Oregon Tuesday by a majority that will perhaps total 12,000 votes in the state.

Senator McNary will defeat Oswald West by about 10,000, regardless of the fact that he never came into the state while the campaign was on.

N. J. Sinnott was of course re-elected congressman from this district, by a very comfortable margin.

The next house of representatives will be republican. While the senate is more or less in doubt. Returns indicate a republican victory in most instances.

#### SCHOOL DISTRICTS SEND LARGE QUANTITIES OF PITS

The Federal authorities have sent in a hurry-up call for fruit pits and the teachers of the districts throughout the county are urged to send in their collection at once. The following districts have sent theirs in:

Dist. No. 1, 5 1/2 lbs; No. 2, 12 lbs; No. 3, 1 lb; No. 7, 15 1/2 lbs; No. 14, 5 lbs; No. 17, 66 lbs; No. 21, 32 1/2 lbs; No. 39, 14 lbs; Misc. 2 lbs; C. C. H. S., 147 lbs.



#### INFLUENZA CASES DEVELOP HERE

PRINEVILLE CLOSED FOR ALL PUBLIC MEETINGS

#### SITUATION UNDER CONTROL

Prompt Action in Closing City Will Have Good Effect—Number Of Cases Small

Prineville developed cases of Spanish influenza Friday, and several others have appeared since that time.

One death is accredited to this disease, but almost all of the other cases are either convalescent or considered light by attending physicians.

The prompt action of authorities in closing all public meetings on Saturday evening, prevented a wide spread of the disease at the beginning.

All schools, churches, theaters, and other public places have been closed, and meetings of any kind are forbidden by the city authorities.

The number of cases is estimated at from six to eighteen, but because of the fact that many of them are light, the exact number is not easily determined.

#### BEN HINEY GIVES LIFE FOR CAUSE OF LIBERTY

Mrs. Susan Hiney of Prineville, received a telegram Monday that her son, Benjamin Hiney was killed in action September 26. Ben was twenty-three years old and enlisted here April 29 this year. He belonged to Company A, 363d Infantry, 91st Division. He left Camp Lewis June 29 for overseas service and the last letter his mother received from him was dated September 21, in which he said he was leaving immediately for active service at the front. He evidently lost his life in the first battle in which he participated.

His wife, Mrs. Mildred Hiney, resides at Sheridan, Oregon, and his mother and three sisters reside here. He has one sister living in Canada.

The sympathy of the people goes out to this family in their hour of sorrow. This is a sorrow that carries a feeling of pride in the one who has thus made the supreme sacrifice for the maintenance of right in the world. In the light of recent events it is shown that he and his comrades who have given their lives for the cause have not died in vain.

#### CARTONS ARRIVE FOR OVERSEA XMAS PARCELS

The cartons for the purpose of mailing Christmas gifts to soldiers have arrived and are ready for distribution. Relatives and friends may obtain them at Red Cross Headquarters by presenting their "Christmas Parcel Label" which has been mailed to them by a soldier. The Red Cross rooms will be open every afternoon between the hours of 2 and 3 p. m. and a number of women will be there to assist in wrapping and inspecting the contents of the packages as is required by the War Department.

#### APPEAL DISMISSED IN THE DESCHUTES CASE

Washington, Nov. 4.—The supreme court today dismissed the appeal of the Deschutes Railroad company against the Eastern Oregon Land Co. to enjoin the construction of a railroad over lands along the Deschutes river for lack of jurisdiction.—Oregon Journal.

#### WALLACE JUDGE, 2 TO 1, COMBS BY 100

LIGHT VOTE IN COUNTY NO ELECTION AT SUMMIT

#### WITHYCOMBE CARRIES COUNTY

McNary Leads West By 36 Votes—Sinnott Has A Big Lead In Crook County

The feature of the state election in this county on Tuesday was the landslide for Judge Wallace, which carried him to victory by the overwhelming vote of 743 as opposed to 359 received by the opposing candidate, Col. F. Smith, with one small precinct yet to report.

John Combs was elected sheriff by a margin of over 100 votes above the total received by J. H. Wigle, his nearest opponent, Norris Morgan, receiving third place in the contest.

The vote for sheriff was Combs, 477; Wigle, 367; and Morgan 270, with five precinct yet to report with perhaps 25 votes.

Governor Withycombe carried this county by 41 votes, and Senator McNary leads Oswald West by 36 in the county.

N. J. Sinnott lead in practically every precinct in the county.

A light vote was polled in the county, and no election was held at Summit, because of a lack of interest and insufficient people appearing to act on the election board.

Warren Brown was elected clerk, H. J. Lister, Commissioner, H. A. Kelly, surveyor, A. R. Bowman, treasurer, and P. B. Poindexter coroner, practically without opposition.

The vote by precinct for sheriff and judge is as follows:

Precinct	Combs	Morgan	Wigle	Smith	Wallace
Breese	11	4	1	4	11
Montgomery	22	11	4	18	17
Howard	19	0	2	7	14
Hat Rock	13	1	9	1	22
Powell Butte	28	20	26	18	67
Post	38	19	13	12	62
Johnson Creek	55	61	45	46	111
McKay	31	18	14	20	44
E. Prineville	129	35	74	72	162
W. Prineville	76	26	79	48	130
Roberts	7	3	15	19	5
Kitching*	10	0	9	6	13
Bear Creek	14	2	14	2	28
Camp Creek	9	1	1	5	8
White Butte	7	10	9	12	14
Beaver	4	23	25	30	19
Maury	2	9	19	14	14
Mill Creek	2	17	8	14	13

#### LAUTUS H. CRABTREE OF LANE COUNTY DIES

Lautus H. Crabtree died Sunday night at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland from pneumonia. He was 37 years of age and was born in Linn county. His father is Frank Crabtree of Albany, one of the pioneer family of that name. Mr. Crabtree is survived by his widow, Mrs. Effie D. Crabtree, an infant son, his father and one brother, D. A. Crabtree of the U. S. Navy. Mr. Crabtree was employed by the Grant Smith-Porter company at Holbrook. He was operating engineer in Eugene for the electric light plant for four years. He was a member of the Odd Fellows in Eugene. Funeral services were held in Eugene yesterday.

#### MRS. GREENSLET VICTIM OF SPANISH INFLUENZA

Mrs. Ed. Greenslet of Lakeview passed away at the Home Hospital yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. The cause of her death was pneumonia, following an attack of influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Greenslet stopped in Prineville on their way to The Dalles and Mrs. Greenslet became ill and was unable to continue the journey. Mr. Greenslet went on to The Dalles, where he is now ill of the same disease.

Mrs. Greenslet was formerly Lela Holder and lived in Prineville when her father was editor of the Review. Her brother arrived this morning but funeral arrangements have not been made.

#### REAMS, SHIPP, ZEVELY PANCAKE, EVANS, GOVE

MAYOR STEWART ELECTED WITHOUT OPPOSITION

#### EUSTON TREAS. BOWMAN REC.

Charter Amendments Carried By A Vote of 227 to 14. Many Names, Are Written In

Councilmen for the next four years for the city of Prineville are as follows: G. P. Reams, J. B. Shipp, W. J. Pancake, E. E. Evans, R. W. Zevely and I. H. Gove.

Mayor Stewart was re-elected without opposition, and Geo. F. Euston was elected treasurer and A. R. Bowman Recorder.

The charter amendments carried by a vote of 227 to 14.

As but one name was printed on the ballot for councilman, scattering names were written in for councilmen.

The total votes cast for the respective officers were: D. F. Stewart, 209; Bowman, 93; Euston, 326; Reams, 301; Shipp, 156; Pancake, 112; Evans, 123; Zevely, 119; and Gove, 96.

#### DR. DUNSMORE MADE CHAPLAIN

Dr. H. C. Dunsmore, pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian church at Independence, has been appointed chaplain of the Fourth Regiment, Oregon State Guard, with the rank of First Lieutenant. Dr. Dunsmore was pastor of the Presbyterian church in this city for several years.

#### LLOYD CANTRILL REPORTED KILLED IN ACTION

The report came to Prineville this morning that Lloyd Cantrill was killed in action October 29.

#### HERBERT HAMILTON WRITES TO HIS MOTHER

"France, Oct. 8, 1918. The following letter was received by Mrs. R. Hamilton from her son, Herbert, who is in service over there: "Dear Mother:

"Well I have left St. Mosaire. We are up on the front. It gets pretty hot up here sometimes, but a person don't mind it so much after it starts. Brewster was right when he said this war was fierce. Up at the front we sure see some awful things. I was up on the Toul Sector in that drive hauling ammunition the night they put over the barrage. You know I didn't imagine there was so many guns sticking around in the brush, but when they broke loose you didn't know which way to go, they were firing over our heads and it wasn't but a few minutes until the smoke was so thick that it hurt our lungs. The barrage lasted only four hours before the boys went over but we were not up there when they went over. I have been under fire several times. I remember once we drove into a town the Bochs were shelling and we didn't know it until we got into it. It was night and some dark too. We were just stopping when a shell landed over a stone wall about twenty feet from us and the rocks and pieces of shell passed over our heads and hit in the trees on the other side of us. I tell you that is when a fellow wishes he was miles away. The next time I went up to the front we were on the other side of the trenches. We passed a French town, or what had once been a town; the trenches had been dug through the center of it and there was nothing left but a pile of rock.

We care now on the Verdun Sector. We came over just before the big drive. We were stationed in the woods for a while but we are now in a barn. It was an apartment once; the people living in part of it and the horses and pigs lived in the other part.

We have had lots of rain here in the last month but the roads are holding up fine under the wet weather and heavy traffic. The Bochs shell some of the roads but there is always men working on them and they soon fix them up. The French went mad over the peace talk; in fact everyone was excited.

#### "HERBERT."

"Co. C, 1st Corps, Provisional Artillery Park, A. P. O. 759, A. E. F."



CHAS. L. McNARY  
United States Senator

#### APPEAL FOR COOPERATION

#### TO THE PUBLIC:

Absolute, consistent cooperation upon the part of the public is urged in a supreme effort to rid Prineville of the epidemic of influenza. The disease will take a serious toll of lives unless extreme and drastic efforts are made by the public to stop its spread. This is an appeal for the widest cooperation in the hope that compliance with the following regulations may quickly stop the disease and enable Prineville to become free of the epidemic.

#### To the People:

Remain at home unless having necessary business elsewhere. Keep away from stores, offices, and other places where a crowd is likely to gather.

#### Your Own Home:

None but members of the household must be permitted to enter or leave a house where a case of influenza exists. Those ill should not leave the house unless permission is granted from health officer. In case of sickness with influenza, isolate the patient. Have only one person as nurse, enter and leave the patient's room. That person always wear a gauze mask over nose and mouth. Hands should be thoroughly washed before leaving the room. The sickroom should have windows open day and night. Floor and woodwork should be frequently wiped with damp cloths.

#### Places of Business:

Ventilate thoroughly and constantly all places where the public or your employees assemble. Fumigate all parts of place every day.

#### Public Places of Dwelling:

Properly heat all occupied rooms or apartments. Thoroughly fumigate rooms vacated by tenants at once.

These regulations have been made at the suggestion of those qualified to pass upon the best means of stamping out this disease. A glance at the death records in other places should be sufficient to convince any person of the necessity for strict compliance with these suggestions.

#### ANNUAL ELECTION OF RED CROSS OFFICERS

A meeting of the Crook County Chapter of the Red Cross will be held at the local Red Cross rooms on Friday, November 15, at 4 p. m. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. All Red Cross members are urged to be present.

#### AL LANE GIVES LIFE IN NATION'S CAUSE

Al Lane, of Post, who volunteered in the navy several months ago, passed away yesterday somewhere on the Atlantic coast. The remains will be shipped to the former home in Madison, Oklahoma.

#### L. A. BOOTH VOTES HERE

L. A. Booth arrived here from The Dalles Tuesday morning. Mr. Booth came up for the purpose of voting in Prineville and returning to the next day. He reports the influenza epidemic in The Dalles very serious, there being an average of two deaths each day.

#### FOUR MINUTE MEN'S SPEECHES BE PRINTED

BAN ON PUBLIC MEETINGS PREVENTS VERBAL MESSAGE

#### REV. VAN NUYS ON WAR RELIEF

Declares Urgent Necessity of Keeping Up Best Efforts In Spite Of The Talk Of Early Peace

Somebody Cares 'Till The Boys Come Home

Is the war really about to end? For months past, while the hope and prospect for peace seemed constantly to grow brighter, we have compelled ourselves to carry on unabated our grim preparations for battle. We knew that we dare not relax our vigilance or weaken in our effort until final and complete victory should come. So we have splendidly equipped our army with all that is needed to make it what it is today, the most wonderful fighting machine the world has ever known. We have put into the hands of trained men the implements of warfare, and we have put into their hearts a spirit of courage and confidence and high idealism as fine as the spirit of the old crusaders. Napoleon said that this indefinable something which we call morale is to other factors in war as three to one. Now when the day of peace finally comes and is made secure, we may put into the scrap heap most of this machinery of war and pray that it never will be used again, but the morale of our men—that finest part of their equipment must be sustained until they have found their places again in our home life and civil affairs. How much is it worth to bring back to Crook county the splendid men who have gone out from us—three hundred of them perhaps—and bring with them unbroken all the strength of their training and discipline, the rich fruits of their experiences and the spirit of their splendid adventure? If the government is right in estimating that we would need to spend 24 billion dollars to keep our army adequately trained and equipped next year, surely we can afford to spend the \$170,500,000 that the united war work committee is asking to keep up its splendid morale "till the boys come home." This is at the ratio of \$140 for training and military equipment to every dollar for morale. No money we have spent or shall spend in this business is more wisely or willingly spent than what we have given for the work of the Y. M. C. A. and the other six agencies of similar purpose and character, approved by military men in the field and endorsed by the President at home. Upon these depend this morale so valuable in battle, so vital in the years of peace.

Just one thought more. Someone says: "If the war is so nearly over, why should all this money be needed?" If peace should be declared tomorrow and preparations begin for bringing back our two million men and women from "over there," it would take more than a year before all could be home. This is the estimate of the government. This year would be for most of them a time of comparative idleness, except for such study and recreation as the Y. M. C. A., K. C. Y. W. C. A., Jewish Welfare Board, War Camp Community Service, and the Salvation Army, are planning to provide. These furnish the soldier with a home life, recreation, church and school. And at no period of his stay over there will these services be more needed by him than during the long period of demobilization. We have proven to the boys that "somebody cares" all the way to the front line. And we will prove in the coming campaign that "somebody cares" all the way back till he gets home.

W. L. VAN NUYS.

#### RECOMMEND FLU PREVENTIVE

Portland doctors recommend the following as one of the best preventives of Spanish influenza: 1 teaspoon common salt, 1 teaspoon common soda, dissolve in glass of water and gargle three or four times daily.

#### INSTITUTE POSTPONED

Supt. J. E. Myers reports that the Annual Teachers' Institute has been postponed indefinitely.